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MACHINE WITH SEGMENTED STATOR

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

Applicant has amended FIG. 7A to include reference number 153 to identify central portions between slits 150 and 152. No new matter has been entered as the central portions were described in paragraph 54 of Applicant's specification.

FIG. 10A has been amended to identify the stator plates 126 that form a stack in the stator segment core 120 as described in paragraph 54. In addition, insulating material 177 is shown positioned adjacent to the stack 20 as described in paragraph 59. Favorable consideration of the drawing changes is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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